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AMENDMENT after FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. Claims 1-13 remain in the application and claim 1 has been amended. No new matter has been added and no additional fees have been incurred by way of this amendment.